

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it **MUST** be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with James H. Yancey, Jr. on 11/04/11.

The application has been amended as follows:

Claims:

Claims 100-114 have been cancelled

Note:

To be considered the listing of references, in the IDS filed 11/07/11 **cite No. 52-61, 63-66, 68-78, 80-82** and IDS filed 08/31/11 **cite No. 52**, require legible copies.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to SABA TSEGAYE whose telephone number is (571)272-3091. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday (7:30-5:00), First Friday off.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Hassan A. Phillips can be reached on (571) 272-3940. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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